## New House Leaders Who Will Have Charge of Legislation

Pilots of Future Measures Affecting Farmers, Laborers, Pensioners and Other Vast Classes of Citizens

will now proceed to engineer the ex-

New Champion of the Farmers.
Our farmers want to know what manner of man is the new chairman of the House Committee on Agriculture, the man who will have charge pon the floor of the debates on the bills appropriating money for their benefit. John Limb, of Virginia, who has succeeded to this responsibility, will be seventy-one next June and is a confederate voteran and a Southern rentleman of the old school. Although our on a farm in Sussex county, down near the North Carolina line, he was eared farther porth, in Charles City ounty, on the James River, where his eather kept a private school. Here ohn Lamb received his education, diectly under the paternal eye, and soon after Sumter was fired upon, fifty years so, he clamped on his spurs, took his.

Law School at Cleveland, where he took his LL, B. two years before the old mag from the stable and rode off opin the Confederate cavalry, fighting first as a private, but during the ast three years of the war as a capalattiefields. He fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields, he fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields. He fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields, he fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields. He fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields, he fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields, he fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields, he fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields, he fought through the set three years of the war as a capalattiefields, he fought at a capalattiefields and rought of the control of th



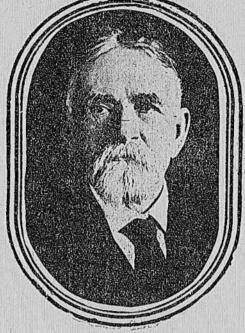
same year that he laid down the sword had dretty nearly the pick of the county offices serving successively as eheriff, treasurer and surveyor, Thirty-chies years ago he moved still farther forth and into Henrico county, which contained the city of Richmond. He is gew serving his sixteenth year in the flows of Representatives, wherein he was ranking Democratic member of the Committee on Agriculture before ascending to the chairmanship.

Will Look Out for Pensioners.

Our, thousands of Civil War pensioners are cager to learn something about the new pilot who will steer through the legislative channels of the Democrate House the bills affecting their stipends from Uncle Sam. The Democrat selected for this responsibility is Isaac R. Sherwood of Toledo, Ohlo, who succeeds Cyrus Sulloway, the Republican giant from New Hampshire, as chairman of the House Committee on Invalid Pensions.

The new chairmans was a Republican until the centennial year, 1876, when he changed his faith and now he labeis himself a "reform Democrat." He is keen an older man than Lamb, being now in his seventy-sixth year. Although he was born in New York State, his parents took him when a child to Ohlo, where he went through anticohe College and later through the Ohio





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Save the party, to save the country, to save the world."

"Look here, Mr. Seldlitz Powder," the effervescent Suizer was once addressed by a republican punater, who went on to twit him about newspaper accounts of his resemblance to Clay.

And Suizer at once galaned the good humor of the House by replying:

"Mr. Speaker, I cannot provent the newspapers from comparing me with other great men."

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Mrs. A. A. Booth and Mrs. Mamie Fry were the guests of Mrs. George A. Lea, on West Main Street, this

woek.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Walker have returned from an extended wedding trip in the Middle West.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Catlin, Jr. have returned after a delightful bridgit rip North.

Mrs. Forest Scales, of Holcombe Rock, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. M. Williamson, Holbrooke Avenue, this week.

Mrs. John D. Spencer and daughter, Miss Annie Spencer, the latter, who has been undergoing treatment at the George Washington Hospital, in Washington, are expected home shortly. They visited relatives in Richmond on their return.

J. A. White, of Augusta, Ga., was in the city several days recently.

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